

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY CAIRO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5556

INFO AMCONSUL ALEXANDRIA

AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OEXC EG

SUBJ: ACADEMY OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SEMINAR

REF: STATE 182921

1. LETTERS CONCERNING PROPOSED ACADEMY OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS (AIB) MEETING AT ALEXANDRIA HAVE BEEN RECEIVED BY EMBASSY. IN REPLY TO INVITATION TO SPEAK AT INAUGURAL SESSION, AMBASSADOR HAS REPLIED THAT HIS PARTICIPATION DEPENDENT UPON HIS SCHEDULE, BUT HE WILL KEEP OFFER IN MIND.

2. PROPOSAL AS DESCRIBED BY GRUB AND REFTEL INDICATED IT IS NOT TO DISSIMILAR TO OTHER EFFORTS UDERTAKEN IN EGYPT. FRANKLY, WE ARE NOT SURE IT IS LIKELY TO CONTRIBUTE MATERIALLY TO DEVELOPMENT OF EGYPTIAN ECONOMIC POLICY OR PROGRAMS, PARTICULARLY IF AS INDICATED PARA 3 REFTEL, ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS CAN BE GENERATED AT, FOR EXAMPLE, CAIRO AND AINSHAMS UNIVERSITIES.

3. IN SUM, WE WELCOME IDEA OF MEETING EVEN THOUGH WE SEE IT MORE AS AN EXERCISE INVOLVING EXCHANGE OF IDEAS AT ACADEMIC LEVEL RATHER THAN ONE THAT WILL HELP SPUR ON OPEN DOOR POLICY OR MAKE  
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WHICH NEED BE RECTIFIED. IF, IN LIGHT OF FOREGOING,  
CU HAS REGIONAL FUNDS TO MAKE AVAILABLE FOR TRAVEL,  
EMBASSY WOULD CERTAINLY INTERPOSE NO OBJECTIONS.

4. AMBASSADOR HAS WRITTEN TO GRUB INDICATING THAT,  
WHILE EMBASSY CANNOT ENGAGE ITSELF IN ORGANIZATIONAL  
ACTIVITIES FOR CONFERENCE, WE WILL BE PLEASED BE OF  
ALL APPROPRIATE HELP OR COUNSEL.  
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